



MONDAY EVENING, SEPT. 14, 1908.

**From Washington.**  
(Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.)  
Washington, Sept. 14.  
Attorney General Bonaparte today ordered an appeal to be taken to the Supreme court of the United States from the recent decision of the Circuit Court of Appeals at Philadelphia in declaring the constitutionality of the Hepburn act unconstitutional. Special counsel L. A. Wilmer is to prepare the brief. It will be presented to the supreme court early in the October term.

Oville Wright, the aviator, who broke all world records, including his own, at Fort Myer last week, is busy tuning up his gasoline motor today, and if he gets the machine to working faultlessly within the next three or four days, he may make his official trials for the \$25,000 War Department prize before the end of the week.

The Comptroller of the Currency today declared a final dividend of 25 per cent. in favor of the creditors of the National Bank of North America, of New York city, making payment in full, with interest at six per cent.

Williams Jennings Bryan spent a half hour in Washington early today, while en route from Deer Park, Md., to Baltimore and Annapolis. He remained in his private car, where he received a number of local democratic leaders. His train left for Baltimore at 7 o'clock.

No confirmation is available at the War Department of the story of the ordering of American troops to the Mexican border by General Meyer, anticipating a Mexican revolutionist movement.

An official of the State Department today remarked that for the past ten years a revolution had been worked up annually on paper for Mexican "independence day," which occurs on September 16th. Very little credence is therefore placed on any rumors of an uprising.

**Virginia News.**  
F. J. Fishion, of Richmond, was sentenced to one year in Central prison, in Berlin on Saturday on the charges of issuing worthless checks.

Isidore I. Strause, a prominent wholesale dry goods and clothing merchant, died at Richmond yesterday. He had just returned from a trip to Atlantic City.

Fire on Saturday destroyed the dwelling house, with contents, of Rev. John H. Parlett, of the United Brethren Church, at Nain, Frederick county. The loss is \$4,000.

Rev. E. S. Hinks, dean of the cathedral at Boise, Idaho, has accepted a call to St. James Church, Warrenton, and will take charge on October 15. Rev. Mr. Hinks was formerly the rector of St. James Church, Leesburg.

Rev. Dr. Leonard W. Snyder, of Norwood, O., the boys' minister, fined \$25 and sentenced to jail in Richmond for six months in default of \$300 security, paid the fine Saturday and let the state at once.

Cards have been received announcing the future marriage of Miss Anne F. Carrington, of Middleburg, Va., to Mr. W. P. Matague, of Charleston, S. C. The wedding will take place on September 23 at the Baptist Church, Middleburg.

Mr. A. O. Weldon recently sold to Mr. Thomas Thornton, of Rectorville, the King farm near New Baltimore, formerly occupied and owned by the late John B. Huston. The farm contained 140 acres and brought \$25 per acre.

Mr. Sterling Murray Rust, son of the late Col. Armistead Rust, of Leesburg, and Miss Mary Hilton Coburn, daughter of Dr. W. H. Coburn, of Lowell, Mass., were married in this city last Wednesday by Rev. George E. Martin, D. D., assisted by Rev. Edmund Lee, of Chinc, a friend of the groom.

H. C. Boudar, an accountant, has completed the examination of the books of the closed bank of Buckingham, which is said to have been wrecked during June by the irregularities of Cashier A. K. Fawcett. The offender is now at large. Fawcett's lawyer was \$11,213.40, and as he is bonded for \$10,000 with the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, of Baltimore, that concern will have to meet the shortage.

Mrs. H. R. Oortland, whom the police authorities believe to be the wife of Dr. R. C. Flower, the notorious swindler, and Charles Edward Oortland, a relative, were arraigned in the police court in Richmond on Saturday on a charge of being fugitives from justice from New York. Mrs. F. Lindsay-Hagman, whose name has figured conspicuously in the mystery, refused to appear as a witness, and the case against the Oortlands was dismissed. They at once disappeared. Papers were issued in the afternoon for the attachment of the baggage of Mrs. Hagman for the satisfaction of a debt of \$4,000 alleged to be due by her to the Lichtenstein Millinery Company, of New York. The whereabouts of the alleged Flower are still a mystery.

**Railroad Wreck.**  
Chicago, Sept. 14.—Two persons were killed outright, three are dying and upwards of forty were seriously injured early today when a Lake Shore theatre train ran into the rear end of a crowded Lake Erie and Western excursion train in a heavy fog at Chesterton, Ind. The dying are three women so badly crushed that they are unable to tell their names.

Twenty-five other injured persons are in the Mercy Hospital here. The injured were all on the excursion train, which had left Chicago with excursionists returning to La Porte, Ind., and Indianapolis. Every car was packed. At Chesterton the train stopped apparently waiting for another train to pass. Without warning, an east bound Lake Shore theatre train, running on the same track ran into the rear of the excursion train. The engine of the accommodation train was wrecked and the rear coach of the excursion train almost completely demolished.

**The Maine Election.**  
Augusta, Me., Sept. 14.—Balloting in the Maine state election began this morning and indications are that a heavy vote will be cast.

The republicans today seem more confident of the election of Fernald, their candidate for governor, by a majority of 15,000. The democrats are confident that Obadiah Gardner will get a safe plurality. The elections are going along quietly.

## News of the Day.

The plant of the Cosmopolitan Cement Company, at Cosmopolis, Ky., burned on Saturday with a loss estimated at about \$2,000,000.

The shah's forces fought their way into Tabriz, Persia, Saturday, but were finally driven out by the insurgent garrison.

A Swiss journal announces that Lucchini, the murderer of the late Empress of Austria, has become mad after a stroke of paralysis.

Twelve couples have just celebrated their golden weddings at Abres, a small town near Vichy, France. Three hundred descendants were present at church.

The American apple crop has dropped off more than one-half within 10 years. It used to average about 62,000,000 barrels a year. Now it averages only 28,000,000.

While waiting for a train in the Washington, Baltimore and Annapolis railway station at Fifteenth and H streets northeast, Washington, yesterday, Mrs. Augusta Pitts was relieved of a watch and chain by a pickpocket.

George Chism, a mechanic, who lives in the Canal road, and William Owen, aged 16, of 1240 Thirty-fourth street, northwest, have been arrested in Washington charged with stealing valuables from the British Embassy in that city.

Eugene W. Pratt, 44 years old, of Washington, a machinist in the navy yard, was found dead in the kitchen of his home yesterday afternoon. Death was due to gas poisoning. Coroner Nevitt issued a certificate of death due to suicide.

George P. Gardner, prominent for many years in "ad" writing circles throughout the country, and who was once known as the "prince of advertising men," was found dead in bed yesterday morning in a lodging house in Baltimore.

Mrs. Mary Lutzby Van Bibber McLane, widow of Mayor Robert M. McLean of Baltimore, is about to open a millinery establishment in New York city, the location having been selected, and everything is in readiness for a formal opening which will take place in the next week or so.

Three hundred million dollars in coin are now in the Philadelphia mint \$275,141,000 in eagles, \$21,694,000 in half eagles, \$2,315,000 in gold pieces, \$77,500 in 2.50 gold pieces, \$108,845,000 in standard dollars; 13,000 in half dollars, 130,000 in dimes, 1,281,000 in nickels and 52,000 in cents.

Lying on the bed with a toothbrush in her mouth, Jeanette C. Eberly, aged 19 months, rolled off the edge yesterday and fell to the floor, driving the toothbrush into her mouth. The bristles severed an artery leading to the base of the brain, and the child died in a few minutes.

Driven to despondency because she could not procure work and provide for her sick husband and her two children, Mrs. Annie Arnold, 34 years old, who lives at Baltimore, attempted to take her own life yesterday, by swallowing carbolic acid, and she is now in a critical condition at St. Luke's Hospital.

A can of oil standing near the stove in the kitchen at the home of John G. Roush, in Mason county, W. Va., exploded yesterday and as a result one child was burned to death and Mrs. Roush and three other children were so severely injured that they may die. The house was consumed.

Shouting "I'll kill you, take that!" "Pass!" "Lave it at Paterson, N. J.," dashed the contents of a bag of red pepper into the eyes of William Bush, whom she encountered on the street yesterday. The pepper, it is believed, was intended for Nathan Swartz, Bush's uncle, with whom he was talking when the young woman approached.

A special to the Charlotte, N. C., Observer from Newton says that near that place yesterday Miss Bullinger, 19 years old, was stabbed to death by Lon Rader, aged 21. The girl was at the organ playing the closing hymn at Sunday school when Rader sprang across several benches and with his pocketknife stabbed her in the back and breast.

Dave Newton, a negro, charged with complicity in the murder of John Buckley, a white man, who was shot and killed at his home near Brookshire, Texas, was taken from jail Saturday night by a mob and hanged. The father and brother of the negro lynched are under arrest in connection with the killing, have been placed in the jail at Hempstead to avoid further mob violence.

Fighting over the last drink of water left in camp, the drought having dried up all the wells and springs in the vicinity, Frank Dadiash was shot and killed by two men at the Ohio Electric Railway's construction camp yesterday. Dadiash was married, and wanted the water for his wife, who is living in the camp. The police are seeking Mike Rolin and John Barice, who are charged with the shooting.

Wrapped in a shawl, a 2-weeks-old male infant was found yesterday morning in a vacant lot at Fifth and V streets, northeast, Washington, by Samuel Howell, of 33 M street, southwest. The child was turned over to a District nurse, and the police are trying to find its parents. The little one's cries attracted Howell, who was passing the lot, and he carried the child to the Tenth precinct station.

When Miss Grace Perry, of Hinton, W. Va., opened a package received at the postoffice, a copperhead snake sprang out and bit her several times about the face and neck. The young woman is in a serious condition. Miss Perry opened the package in the postoffice just after the arrival of the eastern mail, Sunday, and a panic followed among the women and men assembled. The snake was killed before further harm was done. A rigid investigation is being conducted by both the local and government authorities.

Archibald Stewart, formerly salesman for a candy concern of Wheeling, W. Va., was shot and mortally wounded by his young bride while spending their honeymoon on the farm of Mr. Stewart's parents, at Wilbur, near West Union, Sunday. Mr. Stewart married Miss Hall, at the home of her parents, at Marietta, Ohio, on Thursday, and they went to the country to spend a few days. They were shooting at target, and while Stewart was setting the target, the gun, on the hands of Mrs. Stewart, was accidentally discharged, the bullet passing through Stewart's abdomen. Physicians say his chances for recovery are slight.

## Hogs went to \$7.80 in Chicago, Saturday, the highest figures at which they have been quoted since 1903.

Hudson Mazin, of New York, is at work on a device to prolong life by passing a solution of chlorine through the body with an electric current.

It is reported that Mr. Bryan will announce that if he is elected president next November he will make Adlai Stevenson his secretary of the navy.

Much interest was aroused among physicians in New York Saturday by the announcement of the successful grafting of the cornea of the eye of a rabbit upon the eye of a young man who had been blind since his ninth year.

Thirty persons were injured early yesterday in the wreck of an Erie train, Chicago to New York express, at Genoa, Pa. The wreck, railroad officials believe, was due to enemies of the company opening a switch shortly before the passenger train arrived.

While Manuel A. Blevins was walking along a road in Raleigh county, West Virginia, with Miss Lucy Browning he was shot down by his rival, Joseph Williams. Miss Browning attempted to stop the quarrel but Williams pulled his revolver and fired six shots into the other man's body.

Four men shot, two of whom are in the Western Maryland Hospital, at Cumberland, Md., and may die, are threatened of lynching are the result of a row in a hotel at Frostburg Saturday night which issued to have grown out of an intoxicated man's desire to be revenged for some fancied affront.

During a temperance parade, two miles in length, last night, at Little Rock, Ark., protesting against the issuance of licenses to saloons, an issue that will be voted on in Arkansas today, unidentified parties assailed the marchers with eggs. Three preachers, a temperance leader and a spectator were struck with the eggs, some of the eggs splattered American flags. No arrests were made, but the police are investigating.

The parade was unique. Women rolled baby buggies containing infants, while children in white dresses sang hymns along the line of march.

**TELEGRAPHIC BRIEVITIES.**  
Trials of participants in the Springfield, Ill., riots of one month ago begin this week before Judge Creighton.

Steps to have Harry Thaw bankrupt, declared in contempt of court, will be taken today in Scotland.

Despondent because he was a victim of tuberculosis, Bud Howard, a rich farmer of Gadsden, Ala., committed suicide yesterday, by jumping into a well while his daughter stood nearby. She was unable to prevent her father's act.

Harry Kendall Thaw bade farewell to the Poughkeepsie, N. Y., jail today and the afternoon entered his new quarters in the West Chester county jail at White Plains. Thaw was accompanied by Under Sheriff Townsend.

James Tate, one of the most widely known detectives in this country, died at his home in Philadelphia yesterday. He had a remarkable record for skill and daring as captor of desperate criminals.

Every state and territory in the union is represented at Bridgeport, Conn., today at the inaugural of the 61st Ann Session of the Improved Order of Red Men of the United States. Addresses of welcome were made this forenoon by the Lieutenant Governor E. J. Lake and Mayor Henry Lee.

For the first time since last March when 170 school children and two teachers lost their lives in the Collinwood school fire, the children of that suburb of Cleveland, O., left their homes and started to school today. It is with the greatest reluctance that many of the mothers allowed their children to go back.

Coincident with the removal of Harry K. Thaw from the Poughkeepsie jail to White Plains, to await his trial regarding the sanity question, it became known in New York today that a judgement for \$253.25 was entered against Evelyn Nesbit Thaw on September 2, and the sheriff has been called upon to seize any property he can find belonging to Evelyn. The judgement is in favor of Miss Elsie Hartwig, a milliner.

Over a hundred resort keepers and hangers on are under arrest at Atlantic City today, following a raid made by special deputies appointed by Governor Fort in his fight to close the places where liquor is sold illegally. The raid was spectacular. With the special officers well armed, automobiles were employed to carry the men to the district known as the "bowery." The docks were battered down and the inmates loaded into the automobiles. Governor Fort promises a second raid next Sunday.

For the first time in the history of Vermont, a priest will be put on trial today for murder. The defendant is the Rev. Francis Crocetta, of Rutland. Scarcely less interest is taken in Miss Anna Black, a 17-year-old girl, who with three other Sicilians, one of them the priest's brother, are charged with conspiring with Father Crocetta to kill the Accorito Santoro who was killed July 22.

It is reported that the alleged confession of the girl that the priest and the accused principals and other accessories were arrested.

Rumors were in circulation in New York financial circles today that a holding company would be formed to take over the securities and other companies owned by the Union Pacific. No official confirmation of the reports could be obtained. They were generally ridiculed.

The public schools of New York city opened today. The total enrollment is estimated at 540,000, an increase of more than 20,000 over last year's opening. Twenty-four new school buildings were completed through the summer months to accommodate the enlarged class. The teaching force is increased by a thousand instructors.

The Danish cabinet, which resigned Saturday as a result of the financial frauds of P. A. Alberti, former minister of justice, will, at the king's request, retain their portfolios until the new parliament assembles on September 28, it was announced today.

The Wilmington steamer Pleasant Valley, from Wilmington for Philadelphia, ran into a jetty at Fort Mifflin during a dense fog early today. The shock caused a panic among the 350 passengers. Women screamed and there was a rush for the life preservers. The ship's officers, fearing that the damage to the vessel was slight, refused the frightened passengers. No attempt was made to proceed after the accident until sunrise.

The annual congress of the German socialist party was opened this morning at Nuremberg. More than 300 delegates were present from all parts of the country. The international character of the movement was revealed by the delivery of messages of sympathy from socialist organizations of other countries, including America. During the year the party spent approximately \$70,000 for spreading its doctrines, \$30,000 in payment to members who had been dismissed from the employment of the social democratic press, and \$10,000 in the provinces which are not yet supporting.

## Today's Telegraphic News

**Mr. Bryan in Baltimore.**

Baltimore, Sept. 14.—With a copy under his arm of President Roosevelt's declaration that Judge Taft and not he was the man that was entitled to sit in the presidential chair after March 4th, next William Jennings Bryan reached here today. Bryan was a pensive man. The fact that the president had defied tradition and set out to personally conduct the fight for Taft's election seemingly brought joy to the leader of the democrats. He considered and made no bones of telling his friends that the action of the president was a real "confession of weakness." Former Governor Jennings of Florida, who is in charge of the Bryan trip, also talked freely about the president's letter. The fact that he is the first incumbent of that office to enter actively into a campaign to name his own successor was declared by the governor and his friends to show clearly to the country that the statements made prior to the Chicago convention that Roosevelt planned a "regency" to succeed himself were true.

Bryan was met at the station here by a committee of leading democrats and escorted to the Belvidere Hotel where he "sat through" a formal breakfast, himself having eaten before he reached the city. He was asked about the report originating in Washington that, if elected he would make Rear Admiral W. S. Schley, the hero of Santiago, secretary of the navy. He declined to discuss the report other than to reiterate his former statements that he has made no promises to any one as to patronage in the event of his election. However, he declared that the admiral was a gallant officer and deserved any honor that might come to him from his countrymen.

The democratic candidates rested at his hotel until noon when he went to Annapolis in a special electric car to deliver a speech. Tonight he will speak in the Fifth Regiment Armory, an immense structure, in Baltimore.

Annapolis, Md., Sept. 14.—Candidate Bryan arrived here at 12:10, accompanied by nearly the entire membership of the state central committee. He was greeted at the station by Mayor Claud, and a local committee. There was an absence of any public demonstration as he drove through the streets to the Maryland hotel.

**Will Be Asked to Explain.**  
London, Sept. 16.—Premier Asquith, who at the last moment interfered in the great Catholic procession of the Blessed Sacrament and caused the parade yesterday to be robbed of all ceremonial, may have to answer to Parliament for his action. Conservative leaders announced today that when Parliament meets that the premier will be asked to explain his interference. The demand comes not alone from the Catholics, who are greatly incensed at the government's action, but from the liberally minded people generally and from a large number of Asquith's own party.

Today's papers, both morning and afternoon, with the exception of the Pearson and Harrowood publications, join regardless of politics in denouncing the government's attitude, treating it as a cowardly surrender to bigotry. That the procession was not marked with a violence that would have brought everlasting disgrace on England, is due to the Catholic dignitaries, the papers assert, and the cabinet is not entitled to any credit for the happy escape from an outrage.

**New York Democrats.**  
Rochester, N. Y., Sept. 14.—With the arrival of the democratic leaders of the state, the preliminary work of the state convention, which will convene at noon tomorrow, is under way today.

Much interest is centered today in the choice of the Tammany delegation for governor. So far leader Murphy has remained silent, and his attitude toward Lieut. Gov. Chanler who is at present in the lead for the governorship, remains a mystery.

McCarren and his Kings county delegation still remain steadfast in advocating the candidacy of Major James N. Adam, of Buffalo. The state committee will convene tonight and the temporary roll of the convention and the selection of temporary officers will be decided.

New York, Sept. 14.—Tammany Hall began its move on Rochester, today, for the democratic state convention which opens tomorrow. Six special trains, loaded with Tammany Braves and the things that make the Braves happy left this morning, three over the New York Central, two over the Erie and one over the Lehigh Valley.

**Roosevelt's Hair.**  
New York, Sept. 14.—Politicians around the national headquarters here today are discussing the "hairship" to the Roosevelt policies. The president's letter disclaiming Bryan as the claimant and giving Taft a "half interest" in his reform schemes together with a clear title thereto, after March 4th, has aroused more interest here than any event of the campaign. The democrats see in the move a sign of fear on the part of the republicans. They declare that only the belief that their candidate was getting the worst of it would induce the president to take part in the campaign. Whatever the cause the republicans say the letter will have a powerful effect on the campaign. It is their belief that his word in the west has wonderful weight and that the letter will rally thousands of votes to Taft.**Duke Abruzzi.**  
Rome, Sept. 14.—An early marriage of the Duke Abruzzi and Miss Katherine Elkins, his American fiancée, is indicated today in the duke's request of the Navy Department for a three months' leave of absence in order to pay a visit to the Elkins family. Ever since the duke's brother, the Count of Turin, failed in his endeavor to win the consent of Queen M. of Sardinia to the wedding it has been rumored that instead of deferring the marriage the queen's opposition would hasten it. January 29 was the tentative date for the wedding, being the duke's birthday anniversary. His request for a leave of absence, which will undoubtedly be granted, is said by his friends to mean that he will try to induce Miss Elkins to become his wife during his coming trip to America.**New York Stock Market.**  
New York, Sept. 14.—There was much shifting of position by larger room traders during the first hour, most of them putting out large lines of short stocks, while others took profits on long holdings, the supply from both sources causing a moderate reaction in leading issues during the first half hour. The coal stocks were exceptionally strong. Industrials were heavy.

## New York Republicans.

Saratoga, N. Y., Sept. 14.—Whether Charles E. Hughes will be the next republican nominee for governor of New York will be determined late today when the bosses dominating the State convention called for three p. m. decide whether they have sufficient courage to knite the governor. That the bosses can defeat Hughes if they choose, is admitted even by the governor's friends who think Hughes has won out because of the opposition's lack of nerve. On the other hand the anti-Hughes faction insists Hughes has already been eliminated. They are working desperately to get together on some one agreeable to all, Speaker Bradworth and Secretary of State Root being the two most prominently mentioned. The former is most willing and is working desperately in his own behalf, but Secretary Root who is to act as both temporary and permanent chairman is advising all hands to carry out the wish of President Roosevelt and Judge Taft that Hughes be named.

Saratoga, N. Y., Sept. 14.—With enough delegates opposed to him to snuff him under on the first ballot, should they get together on a candidate, there is every indication here late this afternoon that the State republican convention will which be called to order at 3 p. m. will renominate Charles E. Hughes for governor.

Within the past 24 hours the state bosses have made frantic efforts to combine on a man mutually agreeable. They have failed and on the eve of the nomination, the situation remains just what it has been for the few months—Hughes against the field.

Shortly after noon Elihu Root, the one man upon whom the allies had come nearest to an agreement, stated positively that as presiding officer of the convention he would not permit the presentation of his name.

Oyster Bay, L. I., Sept. 14.—The following statement was issued from Sagamore Hill today:  
"The president has been in communication with Secretary Root and Congressmen Cocks in reference to the governorship situation and has authorized them to state that while he has no intention of dictating to all his friends who have spoken to him on the matter he has said in the strongest possible terms that he favors the renomination of Governor Hughes."**Wholesale Prices of Produce.**

Flour Extra.....	400	4 45
Family.....	475	5 00
Fancy brands.....	525	5 50
Wheat, longberry.....	092	0 94
Mixed.....	090	0 92
Barley.....	080	0 82
Oats.....	085	0 87
Corn, white.....	085	0 90
Mixed.....	083	0 85
Yellow.....	083	0 85
Corn Meal.....	028	1 00
Eye.....	065	0 70
Oats, mixed, new.....	045	0 50
White, new.....	048	0 53
Elgin Print Butter.....	032	0 34
Butter, Virginia, packed.....	018	0 20
Choice Virginia.....	020	0 22
Common to middling.....	014	0 16
Eggs.....	023	0 24
Live Chickens (hens).....	015	0 18
Spring Chickens.....	020	0 22
Potatoes, per bu.....	90	1 00
Sweet Potatoes.....	250	3 00
Apples, per bu.....	010	0 10
Onions, per bushel.....	000	3 50
Dried Peaches, peeled.....	0104	0 14
Pork, per 100 lbs.....	750	8 50
Bacon, country hams.....	015	0 15
Best sugar-cured hams.....	015	0 15
Breakfast Bacon.....	0104	0 10
Sugar-cured shoulders.....	010	0 10
Bulk shoulders.....	010	0 11
Dry Salt sides.....	010	0 11
East backs.....	010	0 10
Bellies.....	011	0 11
Suets—Brown.....	465	4 75
Off.....	000	4 50
Conf. standard.....	000	5 15
Granulated.....	525	5 55
Coffee—Rio.....	0104	0 14
LaGuayra.....	015	0 16
Java.....	018	0 26
Molasses B. S.....	010	0 14
C. B.....	017	0 22
New Orleans.....	030	0 45
Sugar Syrup.....	016	0 30
Porto Rico.....	018	0 35
Salt—G. A.....	000	48
Fine.....	080	1 00
Turk's Island.....	100	1 00
Wool—long, unwashed.....	028	0 29
Morino, unwashed.....	028	0 28
Do, washed.....	028	0 29
Herring, Eastern per bu.....	675	7 50
Potomac No. 1.....	300	3 25
No. 1 Cut Potomac Herring.....	350	3 50
Potomac family row.....	450	5 00
Do, half barrel.....	225	3 00
Potomac Shad, per half bu.....	1300	14 00
Mackerel, small, per bu.....	1400	14 50
No. 3 medium.....	1500	16 00
No. 2.....	450	5 00
Plaster, ground, per ton.....	450	5 00
Ground in bags.....	500	5 50

**LETTER TO HINKEN & SON**  
Alexandria, Va.  
Dear Sirs: Here's the whole thing in two nutshell:  
Every job painted Devoe takes less gallons than of any other paint. If not, no pay.  
And the paint that takes least gallons wears longest; Always. We can't help it.  
Yours truly,  
F. W. DEVOE & CO.  
P. S.—E. S. Leadbeater & Sons sell our paint.**NOTICE TO GAS CONSUMERS.**  
Gas bills for the quarter ending September 1, 1908, having been delivered, it is to notify all customers that the usual discount will be allowed on all bills paid on or before October 1, 1908. After that date no discount will be allowed and delinquents will be required to make early settlement. By order of the Committee on Light. J. B. WALLER, Sept 14 Clerk of Gas.**Forty Miles Down the River**  
Beginning SUNDAY, September 13, and continuing every Sunday during the month the steamer CHARLES MACALESTER will make a forty mile trip down the Potomac. The steamer will stop at her wharf at Alexandria at 3 o'clock p. m., returning at 7:30 p. m. sept 12 6**LORD FAIRFAX WHISKY**  
Recommended by all physicians for family and medicinal use. Sold by all first class dealers at \$1.00 PER FULL QUART.

Can also be purchased in pints and half pints.

**FAIRFAX & CO.,**  
Sole Proprietors,  
Alexandria, Va.  
Sept 14

## THE EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS.

A great procession of Catholic clergy, which brought the Eucharistic Congress to an end, was held in London yesterday afternoon amid scenes such as the English churchmen, who planned it, had never anticipated. Cardinal annuelli, the pope's legate, walked at the head of the procession, wearing his scarlet robes and hat, but not carrying the host. He was accompanied by a body guard of English peers, of whom the Duke of Norfolk was the most prominent, and a concourse of cardinals, archbishops and bishops, who also were attired in ceremonial robes instead of vestments, which originally it had been proposed they should wear.

No such throngs of people have been seen in London since Queen Victoria's funeral. The purpose of Archbishop Bourne, the head of the Westminster diocese, and his associates, who arranged the programme, had been to have the host carried through the streets in the rear of Westminster Cathedral so that the great body of Catholics, who were unable to participate in any of the services within the Cathedral, should have an opportunity of joining in the Eucharistic observances and of seeing all the high ecclesiastics present in London on this memorable occasion.

The route of the procession was laid through the quiet streets adjacent to the Cathedral, and but for the unexpected partisan strife, which a discussion of this ceremony brought on, it probably would have been solemnized quietly and in a reverent atmosphere. The great majority of those who attempted to witness the spectacle, however, apparently were attracted by curiosity and a small part were openly and demonstratively hostile. The Catholic element chafed heartily while the procession passed by and throughout the route, but there was heard also considerable "booting." The police had not expected such crowds and met with much opposition in their attempts to keep the path clear, which they hardly succeeded in doing, so that the papal legate and his followers had to push their way through a narrow lane, being frequently and unpleasantly jostled about. A number of persons fainting in the crush and were carried off by the ambulances.

After the procession had re-entered the Cathedral, Cardinal Vannutelli appeared on the high balcony in gorgeous robes and elevated the host, while thousands of Catholics outside the building reverently knelt.

The last day of the congress opened with pontifical mass in the cathedral, which was celebrated by the papal legate and at which all the cardinals, archbishops and bishops, and many others of the clergy assisted. The great edifice was crowded, the audience following with rapt attention the sermon of Cardinal Gibbons, who preached eloquently.

K-dol will, in a very short time, enable the stomach to do the work it should do, and the work it should do is to digest all the food you eat. It makes the stomach sweet and it is pleasant to take. It is sold here by W. F. Creighton &amp; Co.&lt;/